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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application	)	<u>PATENT APPLICATION</u>
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Inventors: Thomas Anthony	)	
	)	Art Unit: 2813
Serial No.:	)	
	)	Examiner: Kielin E.
Filed:	)	
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Title: MAGNETIC MEMORY WITH	)	
STRUCTURES THAT PREVENT DISRUPTIONS)	)	
TO MAGNETIZATION IN SENSE LAYERS	)	

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before consideration, applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows. This amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed 9-17-2001 in parent application Serial No.: 09/492,557, Filed 1-27-2000.